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AUGUST YOUTH AND TEEN ACTIVITIES AT THE VELMA TEAGUE BRANCH LIBRARY

Glendale, Ariz. — Velma Teague Branch Library, 7010 N. 58th Ave., is planning the following free activities for youth and teens in August:

TEEN ACTIVITIES

Teen Library Council Meeting - Thursday, Aug. 15

Are you looking for something fun to do that can actually make a difference? By becoming a Teen Library Council member, you can earn volunteer service hours, have a good time and meet new people, all while helping to make the library a better place for teens. The library is currently recruiting teens, ages 12-18, to provide input on the selection of books and music for the branch's teen collection. Council members also participate in the planning and presentation of library teen events. The meeting will be held from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. For more information or to register, call Greg at 623-930-3441.

"Get Graphic" Teen Book Club - Thursday, Aug. 22

The monthly meeting of the "Get Graphic" Teen Book Club will be held at 6:30 p.m. Manga and comic book fans, ages 12-18, will not want to miss this monthly opportunity to talk with other teens about their favorite graphic reads and view anime. Upcoming movies and video games are also discussed. Bring along a graphic novel or comic book of your choice. Snacks will be provided. Register online using the library's event calendar at www.glendaleaz.com/library or call 623-930-3437.

Student Financial Aid 101 – Thursday, Aug. 29

Need money for college? Prospective students of all ages are invited to this workshop from 6 - 7:30 p.m. Student finance specialists Hilary Holcomb and Armando Galindo will provide an informative discussion about the world of financial aid. This event is free of charge, but seating is limited. Register online by visiting the library's event calendar at www.glendaleaz.com/library or call 623-930-3437. Registration opens Aug. 5.

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YOUTH ACTIVITIES

End of Summer Palooza! - Thursday, Aug. 8

Children ages 12 and under are invited to a special end-of-summer celebration at the library. Kids and their families may drop by the Youth Department between 4 and 7 p.m. to enjoy board and video game tournaments, a craft project, LEGOS[®], carnival games and much more. Registration is not required. Call 623-930-3437 for more information.

Getting Crafty with Miss Janet - Thursday, Aug. 22

Children ages 11 and younger are invited to some creative fun with Miss Janet at 3:30 p.m. This month children will create a back-to-school craft. Adult helpers must accompany children under 6 years old. Registration is not required. Call 623-930-3437 for more information.

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